TALES FROM THE TOMB

K 67409
MAY
1973
60¢

FEATURING:

FANTASTIC HORROR IN

THE BLOODY THING

THE CHILLING FEAR OF

SEAT OF DOOM

KING KONG

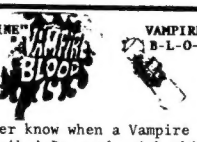
Item 639K.....King Kong.....$1.00
Item 639B. Beast from 20,000 fathoms 1.00
ORDER BOTH for $1.75 and save

ATOMIC SMOKE BOMB

Light one and watch the column of thick white smoke rise to the ceiling and expand into a dense cloud. Sensational surprising effect.
No. 971 20c

Secret Spy Scope

PEN SIZE—CLIPS ON YOUR POCKET. 6 POWER MAGNIFIER. Six power wide field magnifier is great for watching sporting events, nature study, girl watching and counter spying. Also contains a 30 power microscope. Not a toy but a real optical instrument. No. F59 $1.50



You never know when a Vampire will strike! Be ready with this realistic-looking "Vampire blood" and watch the girls swoon. Non-toxic of course--absolutely safe. Comes in a tube.
Item No. 622.....50¢

JOY BUZZER

Windup novelty you wear like a ring. Your victim gets a "SHOCKING" hand shake. Absolutely harmless.
No. 239 Only 50c

WHOOPEE CUSHION

Place on a chair under a cushion, then watch the fun when someone sits down! It gives forth embarrassing noises. Made of rubber, and inflatable. A scream
No. 247 50c

SILENT DOG WHISTLE

This whistle can't be heard by human ears, but Rover can hear it half a mile away. Your dog will understand that this whistle is for him alone. Be amazed how quickly he responds.
No. 701 .....$1.00

TRICK BASEBALL

It bounces cockeyed, it curves, it dips, it's impossible to catch. It's sure to set all the kids on the block spinning after it. There's a barrel of fun in every bounce of this amazing baseball.
No. 158 ..... $1.00

SEE BEHIND GLASSES

A specially treated pair of sunglasses with secret mirrors that enable you to see behind you without anyone knowing that you're watching.
No. 30 ..... 75¢

Scary, Life-Size

MONSTER GHOST

Obeys Your Commands!
OVER 7 FEET TALL

Scare the daylights out of your "victim" as this terrifying life size ghost hovers and darts over him. Can be controlled up to 50 feet away so you can hide while watching your victim. Complete instructions included.
MT101.....$1.00

Dime-operated "one armed Bandit" works like those in Las Vegas. Deposit dime, pull handle, and reels spin like the real thing. Dimes are removable. Should not be used for gambling.
No. 2060 $1.69

THROW YOUR VOICE

Throw your voice into trunks, behind doors, everywhere. Fits in your mouth out of sight. Fool teacher, friends, family. Free book on "How to Become a Ventriloquist."
No. 137 25c

Chop a cigarette in two in either hole. Put finger in top hole and cigarette in lower. The cigarette is cut, but your finger is unharmed. Full instructions. $1
No. 6222

RAQUEL WELCH PILLOW

ONLY $1.98 What man wouldn't enjoy spending a night with Raquel Welch? Well, we can't deliver her, but we can deliver that next best thing —a 12" x 24" inflatable pillow of Raquel made of rugged vinyl to serve as your headrest. Keep her for yourself or show her to your friends. Livens up party when everyone sees and feels this great gag item.
RR15....$1.98

MINIATURE SECRET CAMERA

Precision camera so small, it fits in cigarette pack. Weighs 2½ ounces and takes 10 pictures per roll. Precision ground lens and time expose shutter. Can be hidden anywhere. Complete with free roll of film.
No. 788 ..... $1.00
4 Rolls Film $1.00

COMPLETE SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR KIT

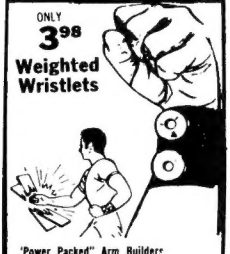
★ BADGE ★ CARRYING CASE
★ SPECIAL I. D. CARD

ONLY $2.75

This professional type detective badge kit and case includes an extra heavy silvered nickle badge for use by private and special investigators PLUS authentic-type case and I.D. Card. Impress your friends with this official looking novelty. No.860...$2.75

ONLY 3.98

Weighted Wristlets



'Power Packed" Arm Builders
To Give you mighty striking power

"Power Packed" wristlets build the powerful arms you want without special equipment or exercises. Just wear these rugged lead weighted wristlets during your ordinary activities at work or play.
#900.....$3.98

WORLDS UGLIEST HANDS

Slip these knobby "paws" on and watch your friends disappear. Ugh! They're awful! If you're got the courage, maybe you can have fun(?) with them.
Item No. 607...$1.98

TRICK BLACK SOAP

Ordinary looking piece of soap. Victim washes face and gets blacker and blacker. When he gets a look in the mirror, he'll be shocked. Harmless. Only 35c
No. 575

FULL SIZE SKELETON

7 FEET TALL EYES GLOW IN THE DARK

This 7 foot tall "BONEY THE SKELETON" is scary enough at any time —but wait till you see him IN THE DARK in all his horrible, spine chilling grandeur, eyes glowing like fiery coals. If you like to haunt houses or frighten friends, this is for you! Or hang "Boney" in your room or to liven up a party.
No. F200 $1.00

ONION GUM

Looks like real chewing gum but tastes like ONIONS! It's too funny! 5 slices to a pack.
No. 281 ..... 20c

FOAMING SUGAR

Looks just like real sugar, but that's where the resemblance stops. When it's dropped in liquid, they overflow and form clouds of suds. Seems as though it'll never stop.
NO 549.....25¢

Lots of FUN passing out this Spearmint Gum with Hot Pepper added. Regulation pack, 5 sticks in cello wrapped package to keep it fresh.
A121 25¢

SURPRISE PACKAGE

Are you willing to take a chance? We won't tell you what you get, but because you're willing to gamble, we'll give you more than your money's worth.
No. 678 Only 50c

WEREWOLF HORROR MASK

This rubber mask is so grotesque that it is sure to shake up the whole neighborhood. Be the "Werewolf" that prowls again!
No. 26W....$1.98

MUSCLES OF STEEL

Results in just 30 days

Pocket gym slaps inches of muscle on your arms and torso. Gain the respect of your friends —the admiration of the girls. Keep fit and healthy. Fear no one! Made of heavy rubber.
No. 7001 only $1.00

MAGIC CARDS

Deck is marked and stripped. Can be read from the back but looks like ordinary deck. With instructions for 10 terrific tricks.
No. 183 $1.50

MONEYMAKER

Insert a blank piece of paper, turn the knob, and . . . OUT COMES A REAL DOLLAR BILL! Insert the dollar and it changes to a $5 then the $5 changes to $10.
A135 1.25

OVER 1000 FREE GIFTS YOURS FOR THE ASKING

This miracle book gives the addresses of associations, federal agencies and manufacturers that are anxious to send you ABSOLUTELY FREE samples, manuals, and books. A fabulous treasure trove completely up-to-date which will bring you gifts worth many times its low cost.
Item -88 50c

GROW AMAZING LIVE

sea-monkeys

Just ADD WATER And You've Got INSTANT PETS

$1.00

What fun and laughs as you watch your zoo full of Sea Monkeys obey your commands, dance to music, and loop-the-loop. A "Variety Show" for the whole family for only $1. FREE Instruction Book, water purifier, and a FULL YEAR supply of growth food.
NO. FL5.....$1.00

HONOR HOUSE PROD. CORP. DEPT. 472GK99
35 WILBUR ST., LYNBROOK, N.Y. 11563

Rush me the items listed below. If I am not 100% satisfied I may return any part of my purchase after 10 days FREE TRIAL for full refund of purchase price.
We cannot accept orders totaling less than $1.00.

NAME & NUMBER OF ITEM	HOW MANY	TOTAL PRICE

Please add 25c to total order for postage and handling.
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED

NAME
ADDRESS ZIP
NY State residents add state and local sales tax.

TALES FROM THE TOMB

MAY 1973 VOL. 5 NO. 3

THE BLOODY THING 4

A skin-crawling horror of unbelievable terror when a painting comes to life and drains the blood of its creator, leaving a formless, dead body in its wake.

SEAT OF DOOM 8

A gruesome shocker that fills the murky gloom of the death house with agonizing fear as the crackle of deadly electricity whips the man strapped in the chair.

MONSTER 12

A bizarre tale of murder and reincarnation when a dead man is sewn into the skin of a hideous ogre.

EVIL ODDITIES 19

A page of unusual and eerie happenings.

SEA GHOST 20

A weird and terrifying marriage pact between an ancient Viking king raised from the depths of the sea and a modern sea captain's daughter.

THE BLOODY BLOB 27

A horrific and frightening story of a slimy substance that glides silently over the body of a scientist, drowning him in its ooze.

THE STRANGE SPACESHIP 37

Locked in eternal sleep within a block of ice, a space ship is rescued and unleashes unbelievable horror when removed from its icy tomb.

MONSTER TOWN 41

From the murky swamps the slimy monsters rose and dragged two innocent beings into a world of unprecedented torture.

DEADMAN 48

An incredible event turns man into a robot with a living brain and heart.

CARL BURGOS, Editor IRVING FASS, Art Director

EZRA JACKSON, Art Editor

TALES FROM THE TOMB is published bi-monthly by Eerie Publications, Inc., 222 Park Avenue South, New York, N. Y. 10003. The publisher assumes no responsibility for unsolicited material. Any resemblance to persons living or dead is purely coincidental. All rights reserved. Copyright © 1973 under Universal Copyright Conventions. Single-copy price: 60¢. Application to mail at second-class rate is pending at New York, N. Y. Printed in U.S.A.

I'M JOHNSON... AN EDITOR! AFTER THE INCREDIBLE DISAPPEARANCE OF STEVE TARN, OUR BEST ARTIST, I GOT CURIOUS AND DID A LITTLE RESEARCH! THE CONCLUSION I CAME TO MADE MY SKIN CRAWL WITH UNBLIEVING TERROR!

The BLOODY THING

I DIDN'T SEE STEVE KILL RAY, BUT LATER, WHEN I THOUGHT OF RAY'S SIGNATURE ON ONE OF STEVE'S PAINTINGS, I KNEW IT MUST'VE HAPPENED LIKE THIS!

WHAT'S THE IDEA SIGNING **YOUR** NAME TO MY PAINTING?

RAY MUST HAVE FOUND OUT WHAT I DISCOVERED **LATER** WHEN I STARTED CHECKING!

YOU'RE ALWAYS SO SECRETIVE ABOUT YOUR PAST, I HAD A DETECTIVE CHECK... YOU'RE WANTED ON THE COAST FOR FORGERY!

FROM NOW ON, I'M GETTING THE CREDIT AND PAY FOR HALF OF OF YOUR WORK, **OR ELSE!**

YOU'R A FOOL IF YOU THINK I'LL SHARE MY SUCCESS WITH YOU!

ROY DALE

STEVE'S FINGERPRINTS ON THE KNIFE PROVED THAT HE KILLED RAY!
MY PAST IS DEAD, AND I'M GOING TO KEEP IT THAT WAY!
AAAGHHH
SWIIIISS
IT MUST HAVE BEEN AT THAT VERY INSTANT THAT I SHOWED UP FOR MY APPOINTMENT WITH STEVE!
IT... IT'S JOHNSON!
HEY, STEVE... OPEN UP!
TOK
TOK
I'LL HAVE TO GET RID OF HIM AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE...
ALL RIGHT, JOHNSON! BE WITH YOU IN A MOMENT!
I GUESS I DIDN'T NOTICE HOW JITTERY STEVE WAS THAT AFTERNOON BECAUSE I HAD TROUBLES OF MY OWN...
STEVE, I NEED A COVER FOR THE MAGAZINE BY THIS EVENING!
ER... SURE, JOHNSON...
WH-WHAT KIND OF MONSTER DO YOU WANT THIS TIME?
IT'S FOR A STORY CALLED THE EATER FROM SPACE... A GHOULISH CREATURE! IT LOOKS LIKE...
LEAVE THAT TO ME! I'LL USE MY IMAGINATION!
LATER, WHEN I HAD IT ANALYZED, I DISCOVERED IT WAS RAY'S BLOOD... BUT HOW COULD I SUSPECT IT THEN?
HMMM... QUITE A VIVID RED YOU'VE MIXED THERE!
IT... IT'S BLOOD... RAY'S BLOOD... SPURTED OUT WHEN I STABBED HIM! MUST PRETEND IT'S PAINT!

THE HORROR IN STEVE'S MIND MUST'VE GONE INTO THAT PAINTING...
WHAT A COVER IT WILL MAKE! YOU'RE A GENIUS, STEVE!
RAY'S BLOOD... STILL ALIVE WARM... IT... IT SEEMS TO BE GUIDING THE BRUSH WHEN I USE IT...
STEVE FINISHED IN RECORD TIME, AND THE RESULTS WERE TERRIFIC!
THE BEST THING YOU'VE EVER DONE, STEVE!
OKAY... TAKE IT... AND GET OUT!
HMMM... IT'LL TAKE AT LEAST A HALF HOUR TO DRY! LET ME BUY YOU A DRINK, PAL!
LATER...
STEVE! THE PICTURE OF THE MONSTER! IT--IT'S DISAPPEARED! AND A PICTURE OF RAY IN IT'S PLACE? H-HOW DID IT GET THERE?
I... I DON'T KNOW!
IT... IT MUST BE A PRACTICAL JOKE OF RAY'S... YOU GOTTA GET OUT, JOHNSON, I... I FEEL SICK!
STEVE... WAIT... MY COVER! I GOT A DEADLINE!
GET SOMEONE ELSE TO DO YOUR COVER! CAN'T YOU UNDERSTAND? I... I WANT TO BE ALONE!
SPOOK!

I WAS SCARED BY STEVE'S BEHAVIOR...
STEVE... YOU... YOU MUST LET ME IN! W-WHAT'S WRONG? I... I'LL GET A DOCTOR!
I'VE OFTEN WONDERED WHAT HAPPENED BEHIND THE LOCKED DOOR! THE ONLY POSSIBLE EXPLANATION IS THAT STEVE MUST HAVE BEEN LOOKING AT THE CLOSET WHEN...
RAY'S BODY... GONE... AND IN ITS PLACE...
I HEARD THOSE TERRIFIED SCREAMS...
AAAGHHH! HELP! HELP!
IT... IT'S THE EATER FROM SPACE! HE... HE'S... NO! NO!
HOW ELSE CAN YOU EXPLAIN WHAT I SAW WHEN I FINALLY BROKE THROUGH THAT BOLTED DOOR? THERE WAS NO OTHER WAY OUT OF THE ROOM, AND YET...
TH-THAT SMILE ON IT'S FACE... AS THOUGH IT... IT'S JUST BEEN FED... AND ALL THE BLOOD DRIPPING FROM THOSE JAWS... IT... IT'S HORRIBLE! WHERE IS STEVE?
THE END

IN THE MURKY GLOOM OF THE DEATH HOUSE, BILL DONAHUE WAITED TO TAKE THE SLOW, AGONIZING STEPS DOWN THE LAST MILE!!
SEAT OF DOOM
BUT I TELL YOU--I'M INNOCENT!
THESE IDIOTS... HA-HA! IF ONLY THEY KNEW THAT WHAT HE SCREAMS IS TRUE!
WHY WON'T ANYONE BELIEVE ME? FIND GIMPY WILSON... HE'S THE MURDERER!!
YEAH...YEAH! ALL YOU GUYS ARE INNOCENT...
YOU'RE ALL MAD!
PIPE DOWN WILLYA, DONAHUE?
TAKE IT EASY, BOY!

ALONE AND FORSAKEN, BILL DONAHUE LISTENS TO THE TICK-TOCK OF THE CLOCK CHIP AWAY THE SECONDS OF HIS LIFE...
THAT CLOCK IS DRIVING ME MAD!
1
TICK
TOCK
TICK
4
6
TOCK
WH...? OH, I...I MUST'VE DOZED OFF...WARDEN --IT ISN'T TIME...?
TAKE IT EASY, DONAHUE... YOU'VE GOT A FEW HOURS YET!
WE'VE JUST COME TO GET YOU READY...

ANY LAST REQUEST, DONAHUE?
WARDEN, LISTEN TO ME! I DIDN'T KILL THAT MAN...YOU'RE GOING TO ELECTROCUTE AN INNOCENT MAN!
THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU!
ALL SOUNDS AND VOICES ECHOED IN BILL'S SKULL! HIS BRAIN WAS FILLED WITH TERROR!
NO...NO... I'M NOT A MURDERER!
YOU'RE GOING TO FRY...
I CAN DO NOTHING FOR YOU...
TICK
TOCK
TICK
JOHN! YOU'VE COME FROM THE GOVERNOR! YOU...YOU TOLD HIM I'M INNOCENT?
YES, BILL...I'VE BEEN WITH THE GOVERNOR...

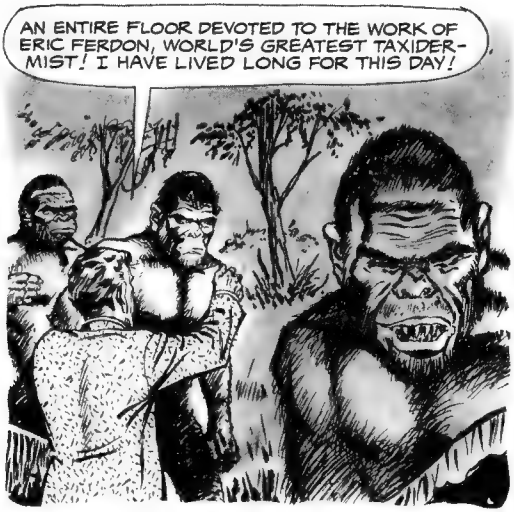
HE SAYS HE CAN DO NOTHING!
NINE O'CLOCK... TWO MORE HOURS TO LIVE! ONLY TWO MORE!
TICK TOCK
TICK TOC
FATHER...YOU... YOU WILL LISTEN TO ME, WON'T YOU?
I HAVE COME TO COMFORT YOU, MY SON!
AND SO, DONAHUE POURS OUT HIS STORY FOR THE LAST TIME... RELIVING AGAIN THAT AWFUL MOMENT AGAIN WHEN...
WHO...WHO DID IT, OLD MAN...TELL ME...
F-FIND G-GIMPY WILSON... AYAHHH!
JACK... LOOK SOME-THING'S GOING ON OVER THERE!
...AND WHEN THE OLD MAN DIED, FATHER, THEY SAID I DID IT! BUT I FOUND HIM HALF DEAD!
BUT NO ONE EVER HEARD OF GIMPY WILSON, MY BOY!
HEY, SLUG... YOU HEAR SOMETHING?
NAW...JUST YOUR NERVES! BILL GETS IT TONIGHT!
SLAP...
SLAP...
SLOWLY, THE MINUTE HAND OF THE DEATH-HOUSE CLOCK REACHED THE HOUR OF DOOM!
THE HOUR IS HERE, MY SON...
ALL RIGHT! I'M READY!
Then... THE DREADFUL WALK...THE LAST MILE...

DONAHUE, HAVE YOU ANY LAST WORDS?
ONLY THAT I AM INNOCENT AND I PRAY THAT THE TRUE MURDERER MEETS THE SAME FATE AS I!
DEAD SILENCE FELL AS THE WARDEN GAVE THE SIGNAL...
I--I CAN'T SEEM TO...UH... PULL THE SWITCH ALL THE WAY! S-SOMETHING COLD HOLDING MY HAND
APRHHHH
THEN, SUDDENLY, A SOUL-SPLITTING LAUGH RANG IN THE ROOM...
HA! HA! HA!! YOU'VE KILLED HIM! AND I'M GIMPY WILSON! I HAVE COMMITTED THE PERFECT CRIME! HAHAHA!
GOOD LORD! DONAHUE WAS INNOCENT!
THE CHARGE... IT... IT WASN'T ENOUGH TO KILL HIM!
THEN HE HEARD ME!! NO...KEEP HIM AWAY FROM ME... YAHH-H!
THE TERRIFYING FIGURE OF BILL DONAHUE STALKED GIMPY LIKE AN AVENGING SPIRIT AND WRAPPED HIM IN AN ELECTRICAL EMBRACE OF DEATH...
WHAT A TERRIBLE AND STRANGE PHENOMENA...THE PARTIAL SHOCK GAVE HIM SUPER-HUMAN STRENGTH FOR A FEW MOMENTS!
YES...AND DONAHUE GOT HIS FINAL WISH! THE REAL MURDERER DID MEET A DEATH AS HORRIBLE AS HIS OWN!
THE END

MONSTER

MIDNIGHT IN THE MUSEUM! AND WILD-EYED ERIC FERDON, TAXIDERMIST WORKS!
SOON MY GENIUS WILL BE IN DISPLAY OVER THIS ENTIRE FLOOR! THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS PROMISED IT TO ME!

MAGNIFIQUE! ANOTHER SUPERB SPECIMEN! I CALL YOU FRANZ!

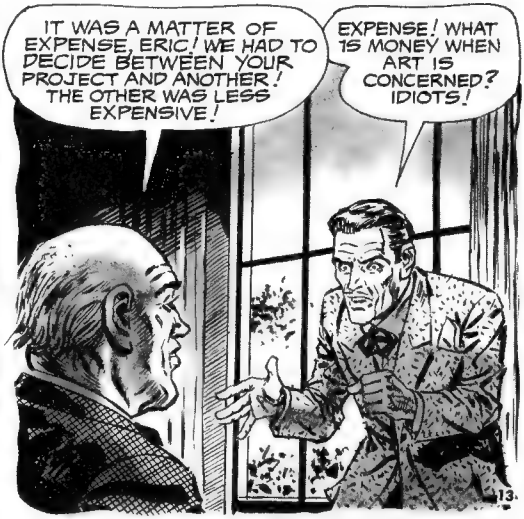

AN ENTIRE FLOOR DEVOTED TO THE WORK OF ERIC FERDON, WORLD'S GREATEST TAXIDERMIST! I HAVE LIVED LONG FOR THIS DAY!

HA-HA! MILLIONS WILL HAVE THE HONOR OF GAZING UPON MY MASTERY! AND NOTHING WILL EVER STAND IN MY WAY!

SPLENDID! I WILL CALL YOU OTTO! YOU WILL RECIEVE MANY COMPLIMENTS!

ANTICIPATING THE ACCLAIM SOON TO BE HIS, ERIC FERDON WORKS ON INTO THE NIGHT... BUT THE NEXT DAY...
MISTER KARL! IT IS AN HONOR TO HAVE YOU... A FOREMOST DIRECTOR!
WELL, ERIC... AS A MATTER OF FACT WE'D LIKE TO SEE YOU IN THE OFFICE FOR A MOMENT!

WE HATE TO DO THIS, ERIC... BUT WE'RE NOT GOING THROUGH WITH YOUR DISPLAY!
BUT YOU CAN'T STOP ME NOW!


IT WAS A MATTER OF EXPENSE, ERIC! WE HAD TO DECIDE BETWEEN YOUR PROJECT AND ANOTHER! THE OTHER WAS LESS EXPENSIVE!
EXPENSE! WHAT IS MONEY WHEN ART IS CONCERNED? IDIOTS!

SEETHING WITH RAGE, THE FRUSTRATED TAXIDERMIST STORMS OUT... PROMISING REVENGE!
STUPID MEDDLERS! YOU HAVE TURNED ON ERIC FERDON! AND YOU WILL PAY!

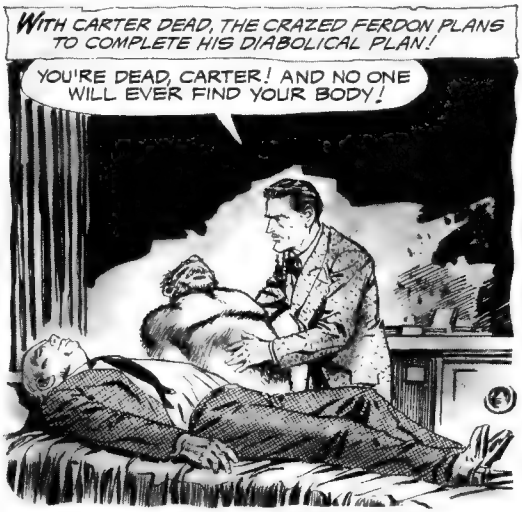
LATER THAT NIGHT, DISTRAUGHT AND MADDENED, FERDON CONCEIVES A FIENDISH SCHEME!
IT'S CARTER! I MUST DESTROY HIM! ONCE HE'S DEAD, MAYBE HIS REPLACEMENT WILL SEE THINGS MY WAY!

THE NEXT EVENING...
WE'RE ALONE, NOW, CARTER! JUST THE TWO OF US... HA-HA...
FERMON! YOU... YOU'RE MAD

YOU WILL DIE FOR YOUR FOLLY, CARTER!
NO!

AIIIIEEEEE!
SCREAM, CARTER! ONLY MY SPECIMENS CAN HEAR YOU!

HA-HA-HA! DIE, CARTER! DIE!


WITH CARTER DEAD, THE CRAZED FERDON PLANS TO COMPLETE HIS DIABOLICAL PLAN!
YOU'RE DEAD, CARTER! AND NO ONE WILL EVER FIND YOUR BODY!

POSSESSED WITH AN ALL-CONSUMING THIRST FOR REVENGE, FERDON APPEARS TO RELISH THE HORRIBLE TASK!
BECAUSE YOU VOTED AGAINST MY DISPLAY, CARTER, YOU WILL BECOME PART OF IT! HA-HA!

YOU MAKE AN EXCELLENT GORILLA, CARTER! HA-HA-HA!

HA-HA! NOTHING CAN STOP MY PROJECT! NOW I JUST WAIT FOR ANOTHER BOARD MEMBER TO BE SELECTED AND MAKE SURE THAT HE SEES THINGS MY WAY! IF NOT-- I HAVE MORE APE SKINS!

BUT FERDON'S WARPED GLEE IS SHORT-LIVED... AS HE HEARS A SAVAGE GROWL BEHIND HIM! AND WHIRLING, HE SEES...
IT CAN'T BE! NO!

CARTER'S GHOST! NO... BUT...IT... IS!
GRRR...!

FERDON'S LUST IS TRANSFORMED INTO ABJECT HORROR AS HE FLEES BEFORE THE MONSTER'S SAVAGE CHARGE!
GRRR!
AIIIEEE! KEEP AWAY!

CARTER! GO BACK! STOP HAUNTING ME!

HIS FEAR TURNING TO MADNESS, FERDON RETREATS FRANTICALLY, BUT THE BEAST PURSUES RELENTLESSLY!
AIEEE! CARTER... PLEASE!

STOP! I SAY, STOP! DON'T COME ANY CLOSER, CARTER! YOU'RE DEAD! I KILLED YOU!

HE'S HAUNTING ME! AIIIEEEE!

I'VE KILLED YOU ONCE, CARTER! I'LL DO IT AGAIN!

BUT THE MONSTER IS NOT TO BE DENIED, AND THE MADDENED TAXIDERMIST IS FINALLY CORNERED!
TRAPPED! KEEP AWAY!
GRRR!

NOOOOO! AIEEEE!
GRRR!

WHILE AT THIS VERY MOMENT ON THE STREET...
WE'VE CHECKED EVERY BUILDING BUT THE MUSEUM, FOR THE APE THAT ESCAPED FROM THE CIRCUS!
LET'S HAVE A LOOK THERE!

NOTHING YET!
CAREFUL! HE'S SIX HUNDRED POUNDS AND STRONG AS TEN MEN... SHOOT ON SIGHT!

THE GRIM POSSE'S SEARCH IS REWARDED!
GOT HIM!
GRRR!

C'MON... I HEARD SCREAMS BEFORE! LET'S LOOK AROUND!

WE HAVEN'T TRIED THE APE ROOM YET!
IT SURE WOULD BE THE PLACE FOR THAT GORILLA TO HAVE GONE TO!

GOOD HEAVENS! THE GORILLA WAS HERE! LOOK!

THE POOR GUY MUST HAVE RUN INTO THE APE JUST BEFORE WE CAME IN!
HE'S HORRIBLE!

HEY, WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING SO PUZZLED ABOUT?
WELL, IT'S JUST THAT ALL PERFORMING ANIMALS HAVE THEIR TEETH PULLED AND CLAWS CLIPPED AS A SAFETY MEASURE, AND...

...AND THAT APE WE JUST KILLED HAD HIS CLAWS AND TEETH REMOVED YESTERDAY! YET THE VICTIM WAS BITTEN AND CLAWED TO DEATH!
THE END

EVIL ODDITIES

THE BAYOU COUNTRY OF LOUISIANA HAS GIVEN BIRTH TO SOME OF THE STRANGEST CUSTOMS OF MAN. WEIRD AND HORRIBLE BELIEFS STILL HAVE A HOLD ON MANY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE MARDI GRAS STATE...

TO STOP A CRAMP, MANY TIE AN EEL WITH NINE KNOTS AROUND THEIR LEGS.

BELIEF IN VOODOO IS STRONG A CONJURER WOULD TAKE A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE VICTIM, BURY IT FACE DOWN AND BURN A BLACK CANDLE. AS THE PICTURE FADED, THE VICTIM WOULD DIE A HORRIBLE DEATH.

IN SOME COMMUNITIES, IT IS THE CUSTOM FOR HOLD FAMILIES TO RUSH TO THE HOME OF AN ILL PERSON WHETHER THE DISEASE IS CONTAGIOUS OR NOT.

IT WAS THE BELIEF THAT WHEN A DEATH OCCURED, ALL THE CATS OF THE WORLD WOULD TRY TO GET AT THE CORPSE. TO PREVENT THIS, RELATIVES AND FRIENDS WOULD KEEP CONSTANT GUARD OVER THE BODY UNTIL IT WAS BURIED.

SEA GHOST

THE DEVIL'S LOOSE! THEY RISE FROM THE SEA... OUR SHIP WILL SINK! ... THEY MUST BE STOPPED!

AYE... BUT HOW?

FEAR GRIPPED GRUNDAR AS HE WATCHED THE VIKING...

AIEEEE! WHO RISES FROM THE SEA?

I AM TALJ HOLWEG, KING OF THE VIKINGS! WHY DO YOU CURSE YOUR ANCESTORS, YOU FEEBLE DOG?

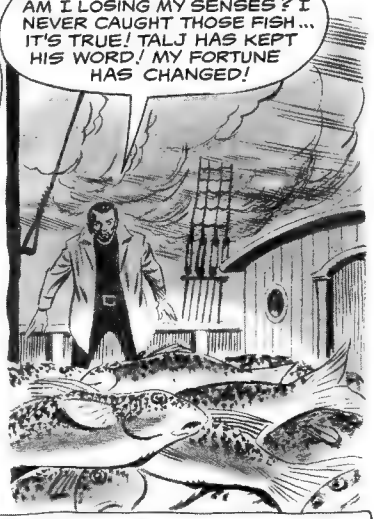
MY LUCK HAS BEEN ROTTEN, FISHING IN THESE WATERS... IT WAS ANGER WITH MY MISFORTUNES! FORGIVE ME, I DID NOT KNOW WHAT I WAS SAYING!

I WILL DO ANYTHING-- ANYTHING YOU SAY, MIGHTY TALJ!
THEN LISTEN, TONIGHT YOU MUST COME TO THE ISKANDER FJORD! AND BRING A CASK OF WINE AS AN OFFERING!

WHY DO YOU RAISE YOUR SPEAR? NO! DO NOT STRIKE ME!
HAVE NO FEAR, PUNY ONE! THIS BLOW WILL CHANGE YOUR FORTUNES!

BEGONE, AND CURSE US NO MORE!

LATER...
WH- WHERE AM I? A WHOLE DAY HAS PASSED AND... AH, I REMEMBER! THE HORRIBLE NORSEMAN! HE'S GONE! HE STRUCK THE SHIP WITH HIS SPEAR!


AM I LOSING MY SENSES? I NEVER CAUGHT THOSE FISH... IT'S TRUE! TALJ HAS KEPT HIS WORD! MY FORTUNE HAS CHANGED!

AFTER DISPOSING OF HIS CATCH, GUNDAR RUSHED HOME...
GRETA-- INGE-- LOOK WHAT I HAVE! SIX HUNDRED KRONER! THE GREATEST CATCH OF THE SEASON!
GUNDAR! I ALMOST GAVE UP HOPE! BUT HOW DID YOU DO IT!

WHEN GUNDAR RELATED HIS STRANGE, HARROWING EXPERIENCE...
YOUR STORY SOUNDS LIKE THE RAVINGS OF A MAD-MAN! YOU MUST NOT GO TO THE ISKANDER FJORD!
YOU WOMEN! LEAVE ME BE! TONIGHT I GO TO ISKANDER FJORD!

THAT NIGHT, GUNDAR LABORED UP THE PATH TO THE FJORD...
WHY DID I SET OUT ON THIS HELLISH JOURNEY?
I WAS A FOOL TO LISTEN TO A SPECTRE, A GHOST OF MY OWN MIND! I WILL LEAVE THE FORSAKEN PLACE!
SUDDENLY...
AAARRR! THAT BOLT ALMOST STRUCK ME! NOW THERE IS A CAVE IN THAT SOLID ROCK WALL!
GUNDAR ENTERED THE MYSTERIOUS CAVERN...
AAAIII! I-I COME HERE AT KING TALJ'S BIDDING!
OLAF--LET US TAKE THIS WEAKLING TO THE MEADHALL BEFORE OUR KING!
BRING THE DOLT BEFORE ME... AH, HE HAS BROUGHT THE WINE!
WHAT LUCK I'VE BROUGHT YOU, IS NOTHING COMPARED TO WHAT YOU SHALL HAVE! ... HO, LET US DRINK YOUR GOOD FORTUNE!
A TERRIBLE THRIST! I HOPE THE WINE SATISFIES HIM! HOW I WISH I HAD NEVER COME AMONG THESE FIENDISH DEVILS!

YOU SAY I SHALL HAVE ALL THE RICHES I WANT, BUT ONLY UPON ONE CONDITION?
AY, THAT YOU BRING YOUR DAUGHTER INGE TO BE MY QUEEN WHEN SHE COMES OF AGE!
MY DAUGHTER? SURELY YOU JEST, KING TALJ?
I NEVER JEST! LONG HAVE I BEEN WITHOUT A QUEEN--AND INGE IS BEAUTIFUL! YOU WILL BRING HER TO ME!
IT SHALL BE AS I SAID! YOUR DAUGHTER SHALL BE MY QUEEN! BEGONE NOW! OUR MEETING IS CLOSED!
LATER...
OWW... MY HEAD THROBS WITH PAIN! THE CAVE... IT IS GONE! MUST FLEE FROM THIS HAUNT OF HELL'S CREATURES!
WHEN GUNDAR RECOUNTED HIS WILD ADVENTURE AT HOME...
WHAT? YOU DON'T BELIEVE A WORD I'VE SAID?
YOU SMELL OF WINE! YOU MUST HAVE BEEN AT A DRUNKEN REVEL!
FROM THAT DAY, GUNDAR'S LUCK HAD CHANGED...
HERE COMES GUNDAR WITH HIS BOAT LOADED! IT IS A MIRACLE!
OR THE WORK OF THE DEVIL! MOST OF US HAVE HAD NO CATCH FOR A WHOLE WEEK, AND HE COMES HOME EVERY DAY LIKE THAT! GUNDAR GROWS RICH!
MONTHS PASSED, AND SOON GUNDAR BECAME THE MASTER OF A LARGE FISHING FLEET...
SO YOU ADMIRE MY FLEET, LARS?
YES, GUNDAR, BUT I ADMIRE YOUR DAUGHTER INGE EVEN MORE! SHE HAS COME OF AGE, AND I WOULD LIKE TO MARRY HER!

WHAT IS THE MATTER, GUNDAR?
YOU SAY INGE HAS COME OF AGE? I-I FORGOT!

AS THE FLEET DRIFTED TO THE ISKANDER FJORD...
AAAIII! KING TALJ! WH-WHAT DO YOU WANT?
DID YOU THINK I WOULD FORGET, GUNDAR? YOU HAVE NOT BROUGHT INGE TO BE MY QUEEN!

I CANNOT DO IT! YOUR REQUEST IS MAD!
BAH! WE SHALL SEE WHAT FORTUNE YOU HAVE NOW, AFTER I CAST MY SPEAR!

THIS IS ONLY THE BEGINNING OF YOUR DOWNFALL, GUNDAR... UNLESS YOU KEEP YOUR PROMISE!
NO! AAAARGH!

MY SHIP! THE BEST OF ALL MY FLEET, SINKING!
YOU MUST HAVE STRUCK A HIDDEN REEF! HO, ALL HANDS ABANDON SHIP!

ONE OF THE FLEET RESCUED THE MEN...
TURN THE SCOOP AROUND AND HEAD FOR HOME! FROM NOW ON LARS WILL BE CAPTAIN OF THE FLEET!

GUNDAR DECIDED NEVER TO SAIL TO THE BANKS AGAIN...
...AND YOUR FATHER HAS GIVEN ME COMMAND OF THE FLEET, INGE! DO YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS?
OH, YES, LARS! WE CAN BE MARRIED!

THE NEXT DAY, UNDER LARS' COMMAND, THE FLEET ENCOUNTERED A VIOLENT STORM...
NEVER SEEN SUCH A STORM IN ALL MY YEARS!
WE SHOULD TURN BACK!
SUDDENLY, FROM OUT OF THE SEA MIST...
THERE LIES GUNDAR'S CURSED FLEET! ONWARD, MY VIKINGS! STRIKE THEM DOWN AND SEND THEM TO THE BOTTOM! ONWARD!
THE VIKING GALLEYS CLASHED WITH THE FISHING FLEET...
AAAIII! OUR SHIPS ARE THROWN TOGETHER LIKE MATCH BOXES AND SUNK, AND WE CAN DO NOTHING! HAAR! WE ARE STRUCK!
LET THOSE FEW ESCAPE! I WANT GUNDAR TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENED! HE MUST LEARN HE CANNOT BREAK AN OATH TO KING TALJ!
AS THE FEW BATTERED SURVIVORS REACHED THE DOCK...
YOU MEAN THE WHOLE FLEET IS LOST? YOU DOG! NEVER SHOW YOU FACE AT MY HOUSE AGAIN!
BUT I TELL YOU IT WAS THE WORK OF DEMONS!
LARS, FATHER WILL NEVER CONSENT TO OUR MARRIAGE NOW!
WE WILL ELOPE TO TONIGHT!

FOR HOURS, GUNDAR WRESTLED WITH HIS CONSCIENCE...
I HAVE DECIDED! I CANNOT LIVE IN POVERTY AGAIN! KING TALJ SHALL HAVE INGE! SHE SHALL BE A GREAT QUEEN!
INGE! COME HERE AT ONCE!
AS GUNDAR ENTERED THE HOUSE...
OH, GUNDAR-- INGE IS GONE! THE NOTE SAYS SHE ELOPED WITH LARS! WHAT SHALL WE DO?
AAAII! I AM UNDONE! ALL IS LOST NOW!
A FEW DAYS LATER, GUNDAR TRIED ONE LAST DESPERATE APPEAR...
KING TALJ! IF YOU HEAR ME, LISTEN TO MY PLEA!
SUDDENLY, GUNDAR'S CALL WAS ANSWERED...
GREAT KING! INGE IS GONE! LOST TO ME FOREVER! HAVE MERCY! DO NOT CONDEMN ME TO MY OLD LIFE AGAIN!
FOR YOU THE END HAS COME!
MERCY! NO! AAARRGH!
THE NEXT DAY, WHEN A SEARCH PARTY FOUND GUNDAR...
WHO KNOWS WHAT EVIL DEALINGS GUNDAR HAD! WHAT A WAY TO DIE!
THAT SPEAR IS A THOUSAND YEARS OLD! AND THE HAND WHICH THREW IT? IT COULD ONLY BE THE OLD NORSEMEN!
SUDDENLY, AS THE THUNDER ROLLED ACROSS FROM THE ISKANDER FJORD...
LOOK! GUNDAR HAS JUST SUNK WITH HIS SHIP!
AAIII! THE ANCIENT DEVILS HAVE CLAIMED ANOTHER VICTIM! LET US LEAVE THIS ACCURSED SPOT AT ONCE!
BROOM
The End

THE BLOODY BLOB

IT'S COMING TOWARD US! IT'S GOING TO *EAT* US *ALIVE!*

TITUS GRIMM AND WILBUR HATCH SHARED THE RAMSHACKLE BUILDING WHERE THEY LIVED AND WORKED... A DANK, CADAVEROUS HOUSE WHOSE EERIE LIGHTS OFTEN SHONE FAR INTO THE NIGHT...

DOCTOR WILBUR HATCH, BIOCHEMIST STARED IN FASCINATION AT THE PULSATING MASS IN THE JAR!

WHAT THE OTHERS DID IS CHILD'S PLAY... MY PROTOPLASM CAN LIVE IN AN OPEN JAR AND TAUGHT IT TO CONSUME LIVING FLESH!
YOU'RE JOKING!
I'VE CONDITIONED THE CELL MASS TO REACT TO THE STIMULUS OF HUNGER! WATCH! I'M GOING TO FEED IT THIS LIVE MOUSE!
SEE? IT SENSES FOOD! IT'S REACHING FOR THE MOUSE!
AMAZING!
WILBUR, I HAD NO IDEA YOUR EXPERIMENTS HAD GONE THIS FAR!
YES, TITUS, I'M ON THE TRACK OF A VERY GREAT DISCOVERY THAT WILL SHOW HOW LIFE STARTED FROM THE PRIMORDIAL PROTOPLASMIC OOZE TO THE LIFE FORMS OF TODAY!
BUT IT MAY TAKE YEARS TO SOLVE ALL THE PROBLEMS INVOLVED! IF ONLY THERE WAS A WAY TO SPEED UP MY EXPERIMENTS!
HUH? WHY NOT GIVE YOUR PROBLEMS TO MY ELECTRONIC CALCULATER?
YOU MEAN THAT GLORIFIED ADDING MACHINE?
THAT ADDING MACHINE AS YOU CALL IT IS AN ELECTRONIC BRAIN -- THE MOST REVOLUTIONARY INVENTION OF THE AGE!

...COME ON, TITUS! ...THAT'S OLD HAT!
BAH! MY ANALYZER IS FAR MORE EFFICIENT THAN THE FINEST "BRAIN" IN EXISTENCE! IT EVEN HAS AN ELECTRONIC MEMORY!
WHY WASTE YEARS ON EXPERIMENTS WHEN YOUR PROBLEMS CAN BE SOLVED IN MINUTES!
ALL RIGHT, TITUS! I'LL GET THE FIGURES FOR YOU AND THEN WE'LL SEE HOW GOOD YOUR BRAIN IS!
SHORTLY AFTERWARD, WILBUR WAS STARING WITH WILD INCREDULITY AT THE AMAZING POWERS OF THE ELECTRONIC BRAIN!
INCREDIBLE! ...YET IT CHECKS OUT!
THIS NEW NUTRITIONAL FORMULA SHOULD TRIPLE THE GROWING POWER OF THE MASS AND IMPROVE ITS REACTIONS TO STIMULI!
I'LL LEAVE THE FORMULA ON THE SHELF AND TEST IT THE FIRST THING IN THE MORNING!
THE NEXT MORNING...
MUST HAVE FORGOTTEN TO SWITCH IT OFF LAST NIGHT!
IT SOUNDS LIKE YOUR ELECTRONIC BRAIN, TITUS!
I FORGOT TO THROW OFF THE MEMORY CONTROLS LAST NIGHT!
...THE MACHINE MUST HAVE BEEN WORKING ON MY PROTOPLASMIC PROBLEMS ALL NIGHT!

PERHAPS! BUT PROBABLY THE THINGS BEEN GOING AROUND IN ELECTRONIC CIRCLES SO TO SPEAK!

SUDDENLY--THE ICY CHILL OF A PREMONITION OF EVIL SETTLED AT THE SIGHT UPON THE LABORATORY TABLE...
THE CELL MASS! IT'S OVERFLOWING--IT HAS TRIPLED IN SIZE SINCE LAST NIGHT!

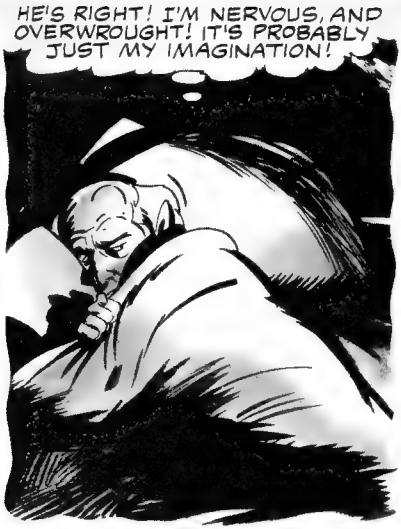
THAT BOTTLE WITH THE NEW NUTRIENT FLUID WAS STANDING OVER THE JAR! IT MUST HAVE BEEN KNOCKED OVER!

TITUS, DO YOU THINK THAT ELECTRONIC BRAIN HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH THIS?
NONSENSE! IT WAS PROBABLY THE CAT!

HE'S RIGHT! IT PROBABLY WAS THE CAT! I GUESS THERE'S NOTHING LEFT TO DO BUT CUT AWAY SOME OF THE PROTOPLASM! THERE'S TOO MUCH FOR THE JAR TO HOLD!

CUTTING AWAY EXCESS GROWTH FROM THE CELL MASS WAS A STANDARD PROCEDURE FOR HIM... BUT THIS TIME AS THE SCALPEL TOUCHED THE BLOB THERE WAS A GRUESOME REACTION!
UGH! IT'S MOVING--TUGGING AT MY HANDS...RESISTING ME!

WILBUR STRUGGLED WITH THE MASS UNTIL HIS TASK WAS COMPLETED!
UNTIL NOW IT ONLY REACTED TO HUNGER! NOW IT REACTS TO FEAR AND DANGER, TOO! THAT NEW NUTRIENT FLUID HAS CHANGED IT SOMEHOW! IT'S AS IF THE CELL MASS CAN THINK AND FEEL!
I DON'T CARE WHAT TITUS SAYS! THAT DEVILISH MACHINE OF HIS HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT!
THAT NIGHT, AS THEY WEARILY LEFT THEIR WORK...
WELL, HATCH... I'VE CUT OFF EVERY SWITCH ON THE BRAIN!
AND TO MAKE DOUBLY SURE, I'VE TIED UP THE CAT!
I'VE MIXED NEW NUTRIENT, BUT I'M KEEPING IT IN THAT VAT IN THE CORNER JUST TO BE SAFE!
BUT THE TENSIONS OF THE DAY KEPT WILBUR HATCH RESTLESS... HE THOUGHT HE KEPT HEARING A HIGH PITCHED WHINE...
THERE IT IS AGAIN... THAT NOISE! THERE'S ONLY ONE THING IT CAN BE!
HUUMM!
TITUS! WAKE UP! YOU MUST'VE FORGOTTEN TO SHUT OFF THE BRAIN!
UH? HUH?
NONSENSE, HATCH! GO TO SLEEP! YOU'RE HEARING THINGS! YOU SAW ME SHUT THE THING OFF!



At THAT MOMENT IN THE ROOM BELOW, THE UNDULATING MASS OF PROTOPLASM WAS SLIDING OUT OF THE JAR, OOZING AND BUBBLING ITS CLAMMY WAY ACROSS THE TABLE TOP AND DOWN TOWARDS THE FLOOR...

THE SICKENING SCREAM OF TERROR RIPPED THROUGH THE HOUSE--THE PITEOUS CRY OF A BEAST IN ITS FINAL MOMENT OF TORMENT!
W-WHAT'S THAT?
THE CAT! SOMETHING'S HAPPENING TO THE CAT! LET'S GET DOWNSTAIRS QUICKLY!
YOOOOWWRRRR
THEN...
THERE'S NOTHING LEFT OF THE CAT BUT BONES!
LOOK! THAT TRAIL OF SLIME! IT LEADS AWAY FROM THE BONES TOWARD THE CORNER!
IT'S THAT PROTO-PLASMIC MASS! IT MANAGED TO GET OUT OF THE JAR AND INTO THAT VAT OF SPECIAL FEED!
THIS IS AWFUL, TITUS! IT HAS GROWN TO A HUNDRED TIMES ITS FORMER SIZE!
LET'S HAVE A CLOSER LOOK AT IT!
STAY AWAY, TITUS! IT SENSES YOUR APPROACH! IT WILL DESTROY YOU AS IT DID THE CAT!
THAT MACHINE OF YOURS HAS BEEN WORKING ALL NIGHT!
THE BRAIN? HMM! MAYBE WE'D BETTER HAVE A LOOK!
YOU SEE! I TOLD YOU IT'S BEEN WORKING!
YES, AND THAT'S NOT ALL!
IT'S FANTASTIC! SOMEHOW THIS MACHINE HAS MANAGED TO FIND A WAY OF PUTTING ITSELF INTO OPERATION AT WILL!
WHAT?

THIS BRAIN CAN THINK FOR ITSELF NOW! IT CAN POSE ITS OWN PROBLEMS AND SOLVE THEM! DO YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS?
IT MEANS WE'RE TREADING ON THE EDGE OF SOME EVIL! WE MUST DESTROY THESE CREATIONS OF OURS BEFORE THEY DESTROY US!
DESTROY THEM? YOU FOOL! IF WE CAN FIND SOME WAY OF PERMANENTLY COMBINING THE ELECTRONIC BRAIN WITH THAT PROTOPLASM, WE'D HAVE A LIVING, THINKING CREATURE FAR SUPERIOR TO MAN!
WHY, WITH AN ARMY OF SUCH CREATURES WE COULD TAKE OVER THE EARTH-- YOU AND I!
NO! NO! I WON'T BE A PARTY TO THIS!
YOU DON'T REALIZE WHAT YOU'RE SAYING! WE CAN'T UNLEASH A HORROR LIKE THAT UPON THE WORLD!
ALL RIGHT... I'LL WORK IT OUT--- ALONE!
THERE WAS A GRIM, UNMISTAKABLE NOTE OF CHALLENGE IN THE REMARK, BUT...
ALL RIGHT, DESTROY YOUR PROTOPLASM IF YOU WISH-- BUT MY ELECTRONIC BRAIN IS A TRIUMPH OF HUMAN INGENUITY! I WON'T LET YOU TOUCH IT!
I CAN'T FORCE YOU TO DO WHAT'S RIGHT, TITUS, BUT I'M GOING TO DESTROY THAT THING IN THE VAT!
I'LL DRIVE INTO TOWN! I NEED AN ACID TO DISSOLVE THE PROTOPLASM AND DESTROY IT!

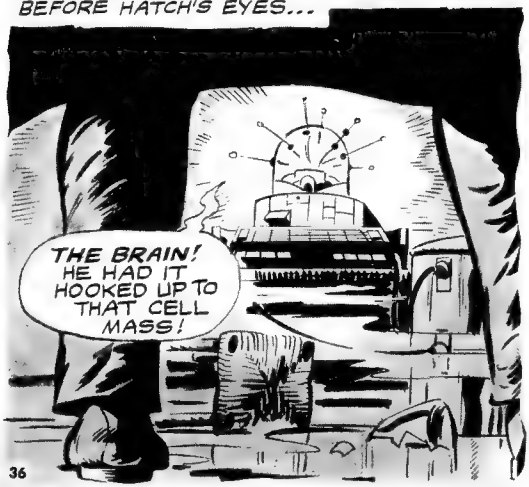
BUT TITUS GRIMM HAD FORGOTTEN ONE MACABRE FACT! THE BRAIN WAS ALREADY FAR BEYOND THE CONTROL OF ANY HUMAN BEING!

DON'T TOUCH ME! DON'T--AAIIIEEE!

AT THAT MOMENT HATCH WAS CLIMBING OUT OF HIS CAR...HE STARED AT THE HOUSE AS HE HE HEARD THE DEATH CRY OF TITUS!
THERE'S TROUBLE INSIDE!
YAGGHHH!

IT'S TITUS! THAT CURSED THING HAS HIM! THERE'S ONLY ONE THING TO DO... THIS BOTTLE OF ACID!

I CAN'T GET CLOSE ENOUGH... BUT MAYBE I CAN MANAGE IT THIS WAY!


THE SLIMY MASS BEGAN TO DISINTEGRATE BEFORE HATCH'S EYES...
THE BRAIN! HE HAD IT HOOKED UP TO THAT CELL MASS!

FOR ONE MOMENT, THE SICKENING REALIZATION OF GRIMM'S OBSCENE PLAN SWEPT OVER HIM!
HE'S GONE, BUT IT'S BETTER THIS WAY! AT LEAST THE HORROR HE WOULD HAVE RELEASED ON THE WORLD WILL BE FOREVER DESTROYED!
THE END

IN THE 21ST CENTURY AN ICE BREAKER HAD BEEN BLASTING DANGEROUS ICE FLOES TO KEEP THE SEA LANES OPEN TO THE NEWLY DEVELOPED ARTIC REGION, BUT, AS THEY WERE RETURNING TO THEIR BASE THEY SAW SOMETHING...

the STRANGE SPACESHIP

AFTER PROBING THE BERG, THE BREAKER DREW ALONGSIDE...

THE CREW, USING TORCHES, AND PICKS CUT INTO THE SOLID MASS!

IN SECONDS, THE ICE SPLIT AND REVEALED THE LOCKED SECRET...

...AS A MATTER OF FACT I WAS NEAR THE LAUNCH PAD WHEN IT TOOK OFF... I EVEN REMEMBER THE SPEECH--
AS YOUR LEADER, I SHALL EXPECT LOYALTY AND OBEDIENCE FROM ALL OF YOU!
THIS IS A ROUTINE MISSION, YET IN AN EMERGENCY, I DEMAND YOUR FULLEST COOPERATION... THAT IS ALL! NOW BOARD AND WAIT FOR THE COUNTDOWN!
...REPORTS APPEARED IN THE NEWS MEDIA... ALL WAS WELL THERE WAS NO ALARM, THE VOYAGE WAS PREPARED TO STAY ALOFT FOR YEARS...
THEN CAME THE REPORT! THEY LANDED ON A STRANGE ASTEROID WITH WILD AND TWISTED JUNGLE... WHILE ON EARTH, NATIONS STARTED A WAR--
...AN ATOMIC WAR BLASTED EARTH AT THAT TIME AND EVERYONE FORGOT ABOUT THE SPACEMEN...
LOOK! IN THE DISTANCE... A BUILDING... OR IS IT A CITY?
THERE'S ONE WAY TO FIND OUT... BUT FIRST WE MUST CALL EARTH!
I'M SORRY, SIR! BUT I CAN'T CONTACT EARTH... AN UNUSUAL AMOUNT OF STATIC IS BLOCKING OUR MESSAGE!
...TOO BAD! BUT THERE'S NO TIME TO WASTE, WE'LL HEAD FOR THE CITY!
AT A COUNCIL OF THE LEADERS, DOORN SOON LEARNED THERE WAS NO HOPE... FOR UNDERSTANDING THAT, THEY CAME IN PEACE...
SLOWLY, THE ASTRONAUTS CUT THRU THE TANGLE OF DENSE JUNGLE VEGETATION, WHEN SUDDENLY...
HEY! WHAT IS THIS? LET GO!
...THROW DOWN YOUR WEAPONS! DON'T FIGHT THEM! WE'LL TAKE OUR CHANCE WITH THEIR LEADERS!
YOU CARRY WEAPONS...YOU ARE WARRIORS!
THEY'VE LEARNED OUR LANGUAGE BY MENTAL TELEPATHY! WE ARE DOOMED!
ED. NOTE: THE ABOVE SEQUENCE WAS BASED ON FRAGMENTARY NOTES IN COMMANDER DOORN'S LOG WHICH ENDED IN A CRUDE AND UNINTELLIGIBLE HANDWRITING!

NOW, 18 YEARS AFTER THE LAST INSERT TO THE LOG, THE BREAKER TURNED THE SPACECRAFT OVER TO THE AUTHORITIES!
IT'S THE DOORN SPACE SHIP ALL RIGHT, BUT WHAT WILL WE FIND INSIDE?
THEY'VE OPENED THE HATCH! LET'S GO!

THE DANK ODOR OF AGE, CLUNG TO THE INSIDE CABIN AS GENERAL GLAR AND SCIENTIST HOBBS ENTERED...
LOOK AT THEM! FROZEN SOLID!
...IF I REMEMBER, GENERAL... THERE WAS A SAFETY FACTOR THAT COVERED SUDDEN FREEZING!

YES, EACH MAN WAS AT HIS STATION EXACTLY AS WHEN THEY LEFT ON THEIR FLIGHT...

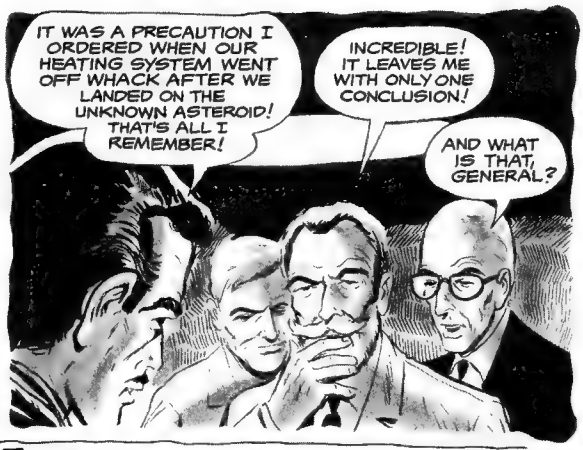
THE GENERAL GAPED AT THE FROZEN MEN, WHILE HOBBS PURSUED A CAREFUL SEARCH WHEN--
THEY'RE JUST LIKE THEY WERE 18 YEARS AGO!
LOOK HERE, GENERAL!
IF THIS SHIP IS FOUND PLEASE TURN LEFT DIAL ON FULL INSTRUCTION. COMM. DOORN

THE DIAL WAS TURNED ON FULL AND THE VOICE OF COMMANDER DOORN WAS HEARD...
...WE ARE IN A STATE OF SUSPENDED ANIMATION... IN ORDER TO REVIVE US, FLOOD THE PLASTIC COATING OVER OUR BODIES WITH THE ULTRA-BLACK RAY FOR 20 MINUTES...

ONLY THE EERIE SOUND OF THE RAY WAS HEARD AS THE PROCESS OF REVIVAL BEGAN...

AND 20 MINUTES LATER...
DOCTOR, HOW CAN WE BE SURE THEY ARE THE SAME AS WHEN THEY LEFT?
YOU'RE A SUSPICIOUS MAN, GENERAL!

IT'S GOOD TO BE BACK AFTER ALL THIS TIME... APPARENTLY WE GOT LOST!
...WHAT?! THAT'S UNUSUAL... HOW DID YOU PLACE YOURSELF IN SUSPENDED ANIMATION?

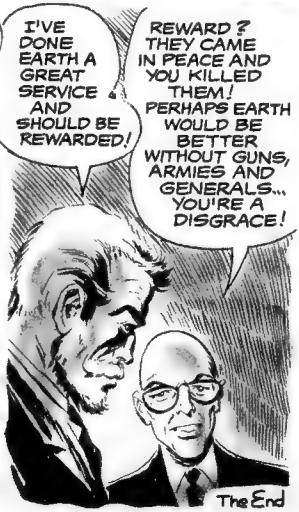

IT WAS A PRECAUTION I ORDERED WHEN OUR HEATING SYSTEM WENT OFF WHACK AFTER WE LANDED ON THE UNKNOWN ASTEROID! THAT'S ALL I REMEMBER!
INCREDIBLE! IT LEAVES ME WITH ONLY ONE CONCLUSION!
AND WHAT IS THAT, GENERAL?

THE ANSWER TO THE DOCTOR'S QUESTION WAS A BLAST OF FLAME FROM A SPACE GUN!
GENERAL! HAVE YOU GONE MAD?
YOU'VE KILLED DOORN!

THE SKIN PEELED FROM THE REMAINDER OF THE CREW AND EXPOSED THE SPACE CREATURES...
WE WANT YOU TO STOP POLLUTING SPACE WITH YOUR ATOMIC WARS!
GENERAL! PUT DOWN YOUR SPACE BLASTER! THEY COME IN PEACE!

...INSTEAD THE GENERAL AND HIS AIDE BLASTED THE CREATURES!
MAKE SURE EVERYONE OF THE BEINGS ARE DESTROYED!
THEY ARE THE ENEMY!

CAN'T YOU SEE, DOCTOR? DOORN'S EXPEDITION MUST HAVE RUN A FOUL WHEN THE LANDED AND THESE THINGS TOOK OVER THEIR BODIES IN AN ATTEMPT TO TAKE OVER EARTH!


I'VE DONE EARTH A GREAT SERVICE AND SHOULD BE REWARDED!
REWARD? THEY CAME IN PEACE AND YOU KILLED THEM! PERHAPS EARTH WOULD BE BETTER WITHOUT GUNS, ARMIES AND GENERALS... YOU'RE A DISGRACE!

The End

MONSTER TOWN

LOOK! LUNA HAS SEIZED TWO FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD!

UGH! SUCH DEFORMED BEINGS!

STEP ASIDE! DR. BONO MAY SAVE THEM IF HE OPERATES!

T-THIS IS FANTASTIC! A VILLAGE OF CREATURES WHERE *WE* ARE THE ONES WHO ARE LOOKED UPON... AS FREAKS!

THE HIDEOUS CREATURES LIVED IN A WORLD OF THEIR OWN... CAN YOU IMAGINE WHAT HAPPENS WHEN TWO MEMBERS FROM OUR OWN SOCIETY FALL VICTIM TO THESE MONSTER...

IN THE DEEP SOUTH, DOCTOR JOHN AMES AND HIS WIFE DRIVE ALONG A STRANGE BACK ROAD!

JOHN, YOU'VE BEEN DRIVING ALONG THIS BACK ROAD FOR HOURS! PLEASE... LET'S RETURN TO THE HIGHWAY...

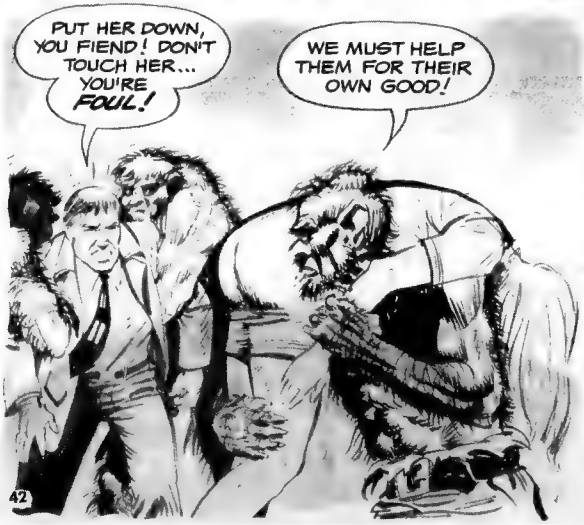
NONESENSE, DARLING! THIS IS THE THRILL OF TOURING... SEEING THE BACK COUNTRY!

SUDDENLY...

BUT, IT'S SO EERIE HERE AND... JOHN! WHAT'S HAPPENED?

T-THE BRAKES! I-I CAN'T STOP THE CAR!

THE WATER CLOSES IN UPON THE WOMAN WHO PREFERS DEATH TO THE TERROR BEFORE HER! ABRUPTLY HANDS CLUTCH AT HER HAIR AND...



HOURS LATER, THE REACH THEIR EERIE DESTINATION!
LUNA! WHAT HAVE YOU THERE... MORE OF THE UGLY ONES FROM OUTSIDE?
YES! THESE TWO ARE THE MOST HORRIBLE WE HAVE YET BROUGHT BACK! STEP ASIDE... DR. BONO MUST SEE THEM AT ONCE!
SHORTLY, IN THE DOCTOR'S LABORATORY...
DR. BONO! WE HAVE BROUGHT YOU TWO MORE... BUT I FEAR THESE ARE BEYOND OUR HELP!
AH, LUNA... YOU MUST NOT GIVE UP I WILL EXAMINE THEM IN A MOMENT!
NOW WHERE ARE THEY...O-OH! YOU DID NOT EXAGGERATE! THEY ARE INDEED HIDEOUS, LUNA!
NO! NO! I-I CAN'T LOOK!
GASP!
YES, THEY ARE PARTICULARLY UGLY! LUNA! WE MUST ACT QUICKLY IF WE ARE TO SAVE THEM!
YES!
TOMORROW I WILL OPERATE, NOW TAKE THEM TO THE CONFINEMENT BUILDING! I-I CAN'T BEAR THE SIGHT OF THEM!
O-OPERATE! JOHN... AM I GOING MAD?
STEADY, DORIS...
IN THE DAMP CELL DOCTOR JOHN AMES AND HIS WIFE ATTEMPT TO ANALYZE THEIR FANTASTIC EXPERIENCE!
I-IT MUST BE A DREAM! THIS COULDN'T HAPPEN TO US, JOHN!
I'M AFRAID THIS IS NO NIGHTMARE, DORIS! WE'VE STUMBLED UPON A CIVILIZATION IN REVERSE! THESE UNFORTUNATE CREATURES CONSIDER PHYSICAL BEAUTY UGLY!
I-I SEE! THEN... IN THEIR EYES WE ARE THE FREAKS!
EXACTLY! AND JUST AS OUR PLASTIC SURGEONS FIX DISTORTED CREATURES THESE CREATURES INTEND TO MAKE US LOOK LIKE THEM!

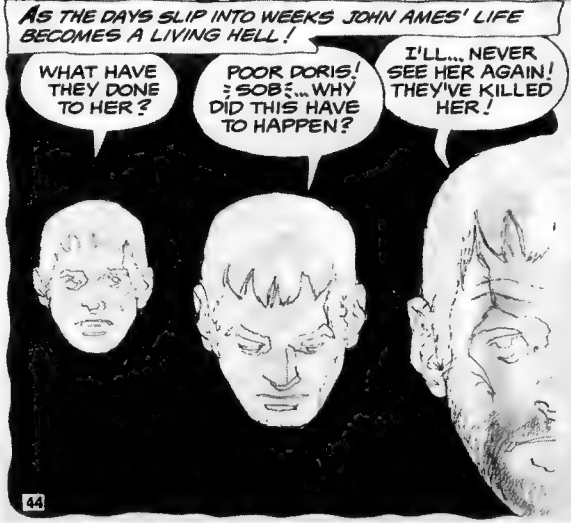
JOHN! YOU MEAN THEY'RE GOING TO OPERATE ON US AND... OH, NO!
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO WAIT AND SEE, DORIS!

TERROR STRICKEN, THE HELPLESS PAIR WAIT THROUGH THE LONG NIGHT! THEN...
HURRY! DR. BONO IS AWAITING THE FEMALE IN THE OPERATING ROOM!
HEHEHEHE... INDEED!

LEAVE HER ALONE! YOU CAN'T DO THIS... UGHHH!
SILENCE, FOOL! WE ONLY SEEK TO HELP YOU BOTH! YOU WILL THANK US WHEN IT IS OVER!

NO! NO!
PLEASE DON'T DO THIS THING! GIVE YOURSELVES UP TO THE OUTSIDE WORLD, THEY WILL HELP YOU!
SURRENDER TO A CIVILIZATION OF FREAKS! NONSENSE! WE KNOW WHAT THEY DO TO NORMAL ONES SUCH AS WE ARE!

YOU CAGE US LIKE ANIMALS IN YOUR ASYLUMS!
T-THIS IS FANTASTIC! DORIS IS RIGHT! THIS MUST BE A DREAM... A NIGHT-MARE!


AS THE DAYS SLIP INTO WEEKS JOHN AMES' LIFE BECOMES A LIVING HELL!
WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO HER?
POOR DORIS! :SOB:... WHY DID THIS HAVE TO HAPPEN?
I'LL... NEVER SEE HER AGAIN! THEY'VE KILLED HER!

VISIONS OF HIS WIFE'S BEAUTY FILL JOHN'S THOUGHTS THROUGH THE LONG NIGHTS AND DAYS!
OH, DORIS... DORIS! WHAT WILL I EVER DO WITHOUT YOU! THOSE FIENDS... I'LL MAKE THEM PAY FOR THIS!

FINALLY, ON THE FIFTH WEEK THE CREAK OF A DOOR BRINGS AMES TO HIS FEET!
HEE, HEE, UGLY ONE... THE OPERATION IS OVER! BONO HAS SAVED YOUR MATE FROM THE FATE THAT AWAITED HER!
D-DORIS! C-CAN THAT BE DORIS UNDER THE HOOD?
SLOWLY, THE HOOD IS RAISED AND A CRY OF HORROR BREAKS FROM JOHN AMES' LIPS!
G-GREAT MERCY... THAT BRACELET... IT IS DORIS!
YES, JOHN! IT IS YOUR WIFE! I AM VERY HAPPY NOW!
HEE! HEE! AND SOON YOU TOO SHALL HAVE A BRAND NEW, BEAUTIFUL FACE, UGLY ONE!
T-THE FIENDS... THEY'VE STOLEN HER MIND AS WELL AS HER FACE! W-WHAT CAN I DO? WHAT CAN I DO?
DO NOT GRIEVE... SOON YOU WILL JOIN HER AGAIN!
YES, DARLING... I SHALL BE WAITING FOR YOU! TOMORROW BONO SHALL OPERATE ON YOU!
THAT NIGHT, A HEAVY RAIN FALLS INTO AMES' CELL... THE DOCTOR'S MIND REELS UNDER THE IMPACT OF THE HORROR HE HAS SEEN!
IT'S MADNESS... MADNESS! SOMEHOW, SOME WAY, I MUST DO SOMETHING! I MUST ESCAPE... GET DORIS TO A DOCTOR! HMMM, I WONDER...
DOCTOR AMES STOOPS TO HIS KNEES... HIS HANDS DIG DEEP INTO THE SOFT CLAY THE RAIN HAS MADE!
YES, YES... WITH THIS CLAY AND THE STRAW THATCHWORK FROM THE ROOF I MAY BE ABLE TO DO IT! I-I MUST!
AN HOUR LATER, THE GROTESQUE JAILER IS STUNNED AS...
WHAT ARE YOU SHOUTING FOR, UGLY ONE... Y'IIII! YOU ARE NO LONGER UGLY! YOU ARE... HANDSOME!
YES, YES, YOU FOOL! A MIRACLE HAS HAPPENED! NOW I'M ONE OF YOU... LET ME OUT! LET ME BE WITH MY WIFE AS YOU PROMISED!
THEN, AS THE STARTLED JAILED OPENS THE CELL DOOR...
THERE, YOU DOG! I'M FREE OF YOUR ACCURSED CELL!

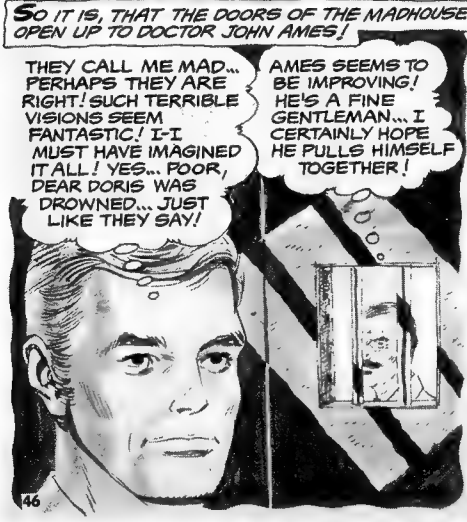
INTO THE POURING RAIN JOHN AMES CARRIES HIS STRUGGLING WIFE!

MILE AFTER MILE DOCTOR AMES WANDERS THROUGH THE GRIM COUNTRYSIDE! FINALLY, COMPLETELY EXHAUSTED, HE LOSES HIS FOOTING AND...

...THE RAIN CEASES! THEN, ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF A VILLAGE...

WHEN JOHN AMES HAS LED THE POLICE TO THE SCENE OF HIS ACCIDENT...

SO IT IS, THAT THE DOORS OF THE MADHOUSE OPEN UP TO DOCTOR JOHN AMES!



AND IN THE MONTHS TO FOLLOW JOHN AMES DOES PULL HIMSELF TOGETHER SOON THE AUTHORITIES DECIDE HE CAN BE RELEASED!

BUT AS THE DAYS PASS, DR. AMES CANNOT KEEP THE VISION OF HIS LOVELY WIFE FROM HIS MIND!
NO! NO! MAD THEY MIGHT CALL ME BUT I CAN'T BELIEVE IT WAS ALL A NIGHTMARE! I'VE GOT TO KEEP SEARCHING FOR DORIS! SOMEWHERE OUT IN THAT DREADED COUNTRYSIDE SHE MAY BE WAITING!
NIGHT AND DAY, THE HALF CRAZED DOCTOR ROAMS THE WOODS! THEN...
D-DORIS! DORIS! I'VE FOUND HER! S-SHE'S NORMAL ... SHE'S HERSELF!
J-JOHN...
OH, DARLING... IT WAS TERRIBLE! THEY TRICKED YOU! ONE OF THOSE TERRIBLE CREATURES PRETENDED TO BE ME! THEY... STOLE MY BRACELET SO YOU'D BELIEVE IT!
THE FIENDS! THEIR TWISTED BRAINS WANTED VENGEANCE AGAINST US BECAUSE OF OUR NORMAL LOOKS! THEY SOUGHT TO DRIVE US MAD WITH THAT TRICK!
I MANAGED TO ESCAPE WHEN THEY OPENED MY CELL TO FEED ME! I PLACED A LOCK OF MY HAIR IN THE CATCH... OH, JOHN, TAKE ME AWAY FROM THIS TERRIBLE PLACE!
THE POLICE WILL TAKE CARE OF THEM ALL!
SHORTLY, AS AMES AND HIS WIFE PLEAD WITH THE POLICE...
NOW, DOCTOR AMES, YOU'VE BEEN A SICK MAN! I DON'T KNOW WHO THIS WOMAN IS BUT YOU KNOW YOUR WIFE DROWNED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT!
GOOD GRIEF! I TELL YOU THIS IS MY WIFE AND THERE ARE MONSTROUS DEVILS OUT THERE IN THE WOODS! YOU MUST BELIEVE US!
YOU KNOW IN YOUR DESCRIPTION OF YOUR WIFE YOU DEFINITELY TOLD US SHE ALWAYS WORE A VALUABLE SILVER BRACELET! THIS WOMAN HAS NONE!
WAIT, DEAR... IF WE PERSIST THEY MAY PUT ME BACK IN THE MENTAL INSTITUTION WE'D... BETTER GO!
BUT...
WE'LL JUST FORGET IT EVER HAPPENED, DARLING! AND WE'LL DRIVE BACK HOME!
YES, JOHN... AND THIS TIME WE WON'T TAKE ANY BACK ROADS, WILL WE!
MAD AS MARCH HARES... BOTH OF THEM!
The End

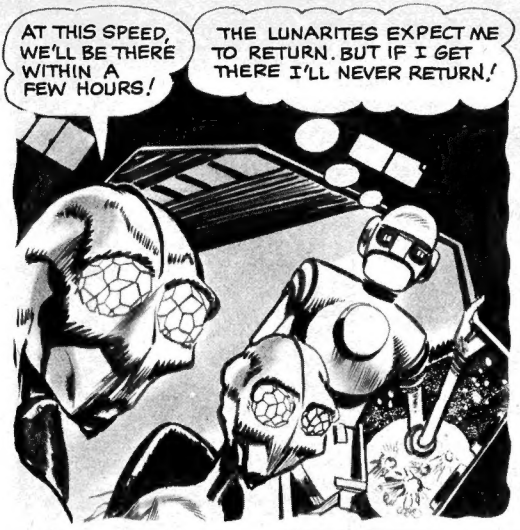
DEADMAN

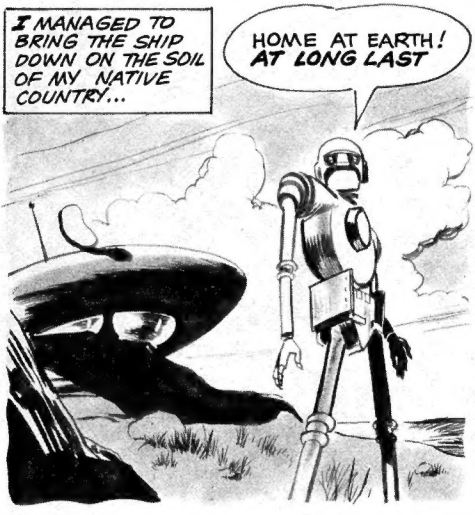
Reynolds

ONE NIGHT I WAS WALKING MY GIRL HOME WHEN...
PETE! WHAT'S THAT THING IN THE SKY?
WHATEVER IT IS, SUSAN, IT'S FLYING RIGHT AT US!

I JUST STOOD THERE, PARALYZED WITH AMAZEMENT TO SEE A BIG MACHINE SWOOP DOWN RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME!
I-I MUST BE DREAMING!

THE THING SEIZED ME AND HAULED ME INTO THE MACHINE! WHEN I CAME TO, I LOOKED OUT UPON A DISTANT EARTH!
IT CAN'T BE! IT ISN'T POSSIBLE!
I WAS VERY ILL DURING THE TRIP. ABOUT ALL I REMEMBER WAS THAT THE MEN KEPT CONSTANT WATCH OVER ME...
AFTER WE ARRIVED INSIDE AN AIR-FILLED CRATER, THOSE WHO HAD MANNED THE SHIP DIED FROM EFFECTS OF THE TRIP. INGENIOUS SURGEONS SPARED ME BY CREATING IN ME AN ARTIFICAL RESPIRATORY SYSTEM! GRADUALLY I LEARNED THE LANGUAGE AND CUSTOMS...
PROBABLY YOU ARE RESENTFUL TOWARD US FOR TAKING YOU FROM YOUR PLANET!
NOT ANY MORE. THIS HAS BEEN AN AMAZING EXPERIMENT
BY DEGREES MY BODY HAD TO BE ALTERED TO OVERCOME ALIEN CONDITIONS. AS THE DECADES WORE ON, LUNAR SCIENTIST REPEATEDLY SAVED MY LIFE BY REPLACING MY BODY PARTS WITH METAL, PLASTIC AND ELECTRONIC DEVICES! EVENTUALLY ONLY MY BRAIN REMAINED INTACT. PRESERVED AND FED BY CHEMICALS.
THANKS TO YOU SCIENTISTS, I'VE ALREADY OUTLIVED TWO OF YOUR GENERATIONS!
I HAD BECOME THE MOST OUTSTANDING FIGURE ON THE PLANET, BUT I STILL LONGED TO RETURN TO EARTH AND LEARN WHAT PROGRESS HAD BEEN MADE BY MY NATION. THEN...
WE ARE AT LAST PLANNING ANOTHER SPACE-SHIP! YOU WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TRY TO REACH EARTH IN IT!
THAT'S THE BEST NEWS I'VE HEARD IN A HUNDRED YEARS!
WHEN THE MAGNETICALLY-PROPELLED SHIP WAS FINISHED, THE LARGEST PLANET CROWD EVER ASSEMBLED WATCHED THE TAKE OFF!
DO YOU THINK THE EARTHMAN WILL RETURN WITH OUR TWO PILOTS?
I DO. WE LIKE AND RESPECT HIM, BUT ON EARTH HE'LL BE ONLY A MECHANICAL FREAK! NO ONE WILL BELIEVE HIS STORY!



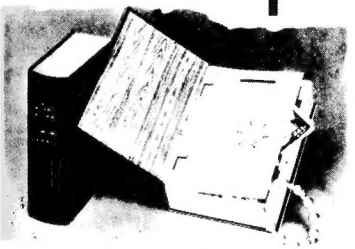


CONTINUED ON BACK COVER

SECRET BOOK SAFE

With Combination Lock
Only You Can Open

ONLY **$1.00**



The Secret Book Safe looks just like any book so no one would think to look for valuables in it. But even chance discovery leaves your possessions safe — securely locked by a combination only YOU know — because YOU yourself have set it. Simple instructions show you how. Tough under structure is covered with simulated leather binding to look just like a real book. Just send $1.00 plus 35c postage and handling for each book safe you want. Money back if you are not satisfied.
HONOR HOUSE DEPT. 472BS99 **LYNBROOK, N.Y. 11563**

8 MM MOTION PICTURE PROJECTOR

Color or Black & White

ONLY **$6.98** Complete

***FREE:* NEW THRILLING SENSATION**

Add 3-D Stereo effect with "Miracle Specs" which makes people look so full and real you can reach out and touch them. One pair comes with each projector. Additional pairs are **$2.98** each.

FEATURES:

- **Sturdy Construction**
- **Complete with Screen**
- **Projects color or black and white**
- **Speed Control for fast or slow motion**
- **Guaranteed**

HAVE ALL THE FUN OF PRIVATE MOVIES NOW AT THIS LOW PRICE

Precision engineered and compact. Completely portable in its own case. Needs no electric outlet since it is battery operated. So simple and safe to use even a child can operate it. Its double lens focusing is sure and easy for bright, clear pictures.

10 DAY FREE TRIAL—Money back guarantee on 10 day free trial. Don't delay—send $6.98 plus 75c for postage and handling or send $1.00 good will deposit and pay postman balance on delivery plus C.O.D. and postage charges. Add $2.98 for each pair of additional "Miracle Specs."

HONOR HOUSE PROD. CORP., DEPT. 472NP99
Lynbrook, New York 11563
N. Y. State Residents add applicable Sales Tax.

MONSTER

7 FEET TALL / IN AUTHENTIC COLORS.

GLOW in the DARK EYES

ONLY **$1.00**

Imagine your friends shock when they see the **"MONSTER"** reaching out —sinister as the wildest nightmare. Bigger than life—Frankenstein—the man-made monster that terrorized the world. 7 feet tall, with eyes that glow eerily in the dark for a special thrilling chill. So lifelike in authentic colors, that you'll probably find yourself talking to him. Won't you be surprised if he answers!
There is also his perfect companion—**BONEY the SKELETON**—stark and scary—just a wonderful pair to set your hair on end.
MONEY BACK GUARANTEE
Just send $1.00 plus 35c to cover postage and handling for each monster you want. ORDER TWO AND SAVE. (The same 35c for postage and handling applies to orders for TWO MONSTERS—a total of 2 for $2.35.) Your money back if not satisfactorily horrified.
HONOR HOUSE DEPT. 472MR99 **LYNBROOK, N. Y. 11563**

"POWER AUTOMATIC" Pellet Firing Target Pistol

and SILENCER

FREE 50 Reusable 22 Cal. Pellets only $1.25

Rapid firing 22 cal. fully 9 inches long with the look and feel of an "undercover" automatic. Snap the "silencer" on or remove it for fast combat-type target practice. FREE 50 reusable 22 cal. pellets and supply of targets. Money back guarantee if not satisfied. Just send $1.25 plus 35c for postage and handling.
HONOR HOUSE PROD. Dept. 472PA99
Lynbrook, N.Y. 11563
Not sold in NYC

WALTHER PPK 22 CAL. PELLET FIRING "STINGER AUTOMATIC"

only **$1.25**

50-22 Cal. Pellets Free.

Looks and Feels Like Full Size "James Bond" style German Automatic **5½ inches long — 4½ inches high.** Fires 22 cal. pellets just as fast as you can pull the trigger with realistic moving slide action. Great for fast action combat—type target practice. 50 reusable 22 cal. pellets free. Free supply of targets. Money back if not satisfied. Just send $1.25 plus 25c Not sold in NY City.
HONOR HOUSE
Dept. 472PK99 Lynbrook, N.Y. 11563

IMPORTED

LOCK BLADE STILETTO

9" Overall Length
5" When Closed

- Opens instantly
- Sharp and Tough
- Stainless Steel Blade

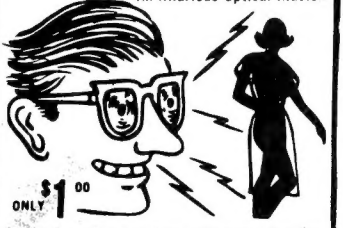
ONLY **$2.75**

Flips open instantly and locks automatically to prevent accidental closing. Razor sharp tough stainless steel blade for reliable use and hard, long service. Money back in 5 days if not satisfied. Send **$2.75** plus 25¢ to cover postage and handling

ALLEY SPORTS MO Div.
Dept. 472ST99
35 Wilbur Street, Lynbrook, N. Y. 11563

X-RAY SPECS

An Hilarious Optical Illusion



ONLY **$1.00**

Scientific optical principle really works. Imagine — you put on the "X-Ray" Specs and hold your hand in front of you. You seem to be able to look right through the flesh and see the bones underneath. Look at your friend. Is that really his body you "see" under his clothes? Loads of laughs and fun at parties. Send only $1 plus 25¢ shipping charges Money Back Guarantee

HONOR HOUSE PRODUCTS CORP
Lynbrook, N Y Dept 472XR99

20 COURSE HOME STUDY PROGRAM

KARATE Jiu-Jitsu

JUDO, BOXING, SAVATE, Isometric Muscle Building, Endurance, Stunts, etc.

Only **$1.00**

Here is what you get!

- 20 best KARATE Blows and Chops
- SAVATE French foot fighting
- Nerve center anatomy chart
- JUDO throws, Jiu Jitsu holds
- Isometric muscle building course
- Endurance Exercises and lots more

FREE Karate Practice and Nerve Center Chart

Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Send just $1.00 plus 35c for postage and handling to:
GUARANTEED DISTRIBUTORS DEPT.472KR99
LYNBROOK, N.Y. 11563
NY State residents add state and local sales tax.

PELLET FIRING
LUGER® AUTOMATIC

- **MAGAZINE LOADING CLIP**
- **OVER 15 MOVING PARTS**
- **FULLY AUTOMATIC**

ONLY **$1.98**

Automatic full size model of a Luger Automatic pistol —contains over 15 moving parts. Loads 8 complete rounds which snap into the hard butt simulating a Luger. Fires 8 bullet shaped pellets. Has automatic slide action. **Made of heavy, high-impact styrene with amazing attention to detail.**

Not Sold in New York City

MOST AUTHENTIC MODEL GUN WE'VE EVER SEEN
Comes to you with working parts disassembled with cleverly engineered springs, full instructions, supply of pellets and targets. **Full Money Back Guarantee. Simply send $1.98 plus 50c shipping charge**
HONOR HOUSE CORP., 472LG99 **Lynbrook, N. Y.**
® T.M. Used by consent of Stoeger Arms Corp.
NY State residents add state and local sales tax.

SKIN HEAD WIG

Most people try to grow hair. This is just the opposite. Made of flesh toned latex to fit all heads, really changes your appearance. Just send $1.00 plus 15¢ for postage and handling.
HONOR HOUSE DEPT. 472SW99 **LYNBROOK, N.Y.11563**

SHE SUDDENLY SAT UP! I WAS SHOCKED WHEN I SAW HER FACE... BUT I DESPERATELY WANTED TO TALK TO HER.
DON'T BE AFRAID! I AM YOUR FRIEND!
SCREAMING IN TERROR, SHE BOUNDED AWAY, I FOLLOWED... AND FOUND MYSELF CONFRONTED BY THE UGLIEST MEN I HAD EVER SEEN! SOME FLED; OTHERS CROUCHED AND GIBBERED AND GROWLED LIKE ANIMALS!
I AM HERE AS YOUR FRIEND! LET ME TALK TO YOU!
FOR ANSWER, THE MEN CAME AT ME WITH ROCKS AND CLUBS!...
SEEING THAT THEIR WEAPONS WERE HARMLESS AGAINST ME, THEY ATTACKED BODILY! BUT MY STEEL MUSCLES WERE TOO MUCH FOR THIS SAVAGE REMNANT OF HUMANITY!
CIVILIZATION... GONE! BUT WHAT CAUSED IT? SURELY MAN WASN'T SO STUPID AS TO HAVE DESTROYED HIMSELF!
OR WAS HE?
IN MY 140 YEARS I NEVER FELT AS LONELY AS I DID WHEN I TOOK OFF TO TAKE THE DEAD SPACEMEN BACK... TO RETURN FOREVER TO THE PLANET!
END